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In Re Application of: Deligianni et al.	January 21, 2004
	Examiner: Lincoln D. Donovan
Serial No. 10/035,840 Filing Date: December 31, 2001	Group Art Unit: 2832
Title: LATERAL MICROELECTROMECHANICAL SYSTEM SWITCH	IBM Corporation 2070 Route 52 Dept. 18G, Bldg. 300-482 Hopewell Junction New York 12533

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 21, 2003; kindly amend the above identified application as follows.

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